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Respectfully submitted,

  
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Mixed-Potential  
Exhaust-Gas Probe and  
Circuit Arrangements  
for Carrying out  
the Methods

Attorney Docket: R 36127

Amendment after Final ActionCommissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the action mailed on January 20, 2004, please  
amend the above-identified application as set forth herein.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims  
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.